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ELECTION

Sir:

This Election is submitted in response to the restriction requirement of August 17, 2006. The applicants hereby elect claims 6-15 which are drawn to a testing apparatus. The Election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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